

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

FIRE DEPARTMENT

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P. MICHAEL FREEMAN FIRE CHIEF FORESTER & FIRE WARDEN

September 8, 2009

ADOPTED

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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SEPTEMBER 8, 2009

SACHI A HAMAI EXECUTIVE OFFICER

The Honorable Board of Supervisors County of Los Angeles 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration 500 W. Temple Street Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Supervisors:

AUTHORIZE THE CONSOLIDATED FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY TO ACCEPT A DONATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$22,500 FROM THE WELLS FARGO FOUNDATION AND APPROVE AN APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENT TO RECOGNIZE THE DONATION REVENUE (ALL DISTRICTS) (4-VOTES)

SUBJECT

The Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County (District) is requesting authorization to accept a \$22,500 donation from the Wells Fargo Foundation. The District intends to use this donation to purchase mobile data computers to install in our command vehicles to link with the recently installed Automatic Vehicle Locator (AVL) system.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR HONORABLE BOARD, ACTING AS THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CONSOLIDATED FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT:

- Authorize the District to accept with thanks a donation of \$22,500 from the Wells Fargo Foundation, Jonathan Weedman, 1800 Century Park East, Suite 1200, Los Angeles, California.
- 2. Instruct the Executive Officer of the Board of Supervisors to sign and forward a letter expressing Board appreciation to the Wells Fargo Foundation, Jonathan Weedman, for the generous donation of \$22,500.

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- 3. Approve the attached appropriation adjustment in the amount of \$23,000 to recognize funding from the donation for Fiscal Year 2009-2010.
- 4. Find that the acceptance of the donation is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act.

PURPOSE / JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

The District is requesting authorization to accept a \$22,500 donation from the Wells Fargo Foundation. Acceptance of this donation will enable the District to purchase mobile data computers for our command vehicles. The mobile data computers, linked to the AVL system, will provide the incident commander with on line access to locate and manage resources from the command vehicle while on scene.

Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals

This recommendation is consistent with the County's Strategic Plan Goal #1, Operational Effectiveness, and Goal #5, Public Safety, by utilizing the mobile data computers to enhance the District's ability to provide emergency services, thereby supporting our public safety mission.

FISCAL IMPACT / FINANCING

With your Board's approval of the attached Appropriation Adjustment, an increase of \$23,000 in services and supplies will be available in the District's Executive Budget Unit to purchase the mobile data computers for our command vehicles. Installation costs will be funded through the District's existing budget. There is no impact on net County cost.

FACTS AND PROVISION / LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

Section 2.4.2 of the County Fiscal Manual authorizes the District to accept donations valued over \$10,000 with Board approval.

IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES

Approval of the recommended actions will expand the quality and productivity of the District's emergency operations.

CONCLUSION

Upon approval by your Board, please instruct the Executive Officer to return a copy of the adopted letter to the following offices:

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> Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County Executive Office 1320 N. Eastern Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90063 Attention: Chief Deputy Daryl L. Osby

Enclosed is a draft letter thanking the Wells Fargo Foundation for their generous donation. Please instruct the Executive Officer to send the letter to: Wells Fargo Foundation, Jonathan Weedman, 1800 Century Park East, Suite 1200, Los Angeles, California 90067.

Respectfully submitted.

PMF:kz

Enclosure

c: Chief Executive Officer
County Counsel
Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors
Auditor-Controller

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COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

REQUEST FOR APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENT

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NO.

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DEPARTMENT OF

FIRE

AUDITOR-CONTROLLER:

THE FOLLOWING APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENT IS DEEMED NECESSARY BY THIS DEPARTMENT. WILL YOU PLEASE REPORT AS TO ACCOUNTING AND AVAILABLE BALANCES AND FORWARD TO THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER FOR HIS RECOMMENDATION OR ACTION.

ADJUSTMENT REQUESTED AND REASONS THEREFOR

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SOURCES

Fire Department Executive **Donations** DA1-FR-40100-40129-94C-9686 \$ 23,000

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Fire Department Executive Services & Supplies DA1-FR-40100-40129-2000 23,000

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JUSTIFICATION DONATION FROM THE WELLS FARGO FOUNDATION, JONATHAN WEEDMAN TO PURCHASE MO R OUR COMMAND VEHICLES TO LINK WITH THE RECENTLY INSTALLED

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

ASSISTANT CHIEF, FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT DIVISION

REFERRED TO THE CHIEF

EXECUTIVE OFFICER FOR-

RECOMMENDATION

ACTION

AUDITOR-CONTROLLER

APPROVED AS REQUESTED

AS REVISED

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

APPROVED (AS REVISED): **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS** 20

BY DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK September 8, 2009

Wells Fargo Foundation Jonathan Weedman 1800 Century Park East, Suite 1200 Los Angeles, CA 90067

Dear Mr. Weedman:

At its meeting held September 8, 2009, the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors accepted, with thanks, your donation of \$22,500 to be utilized toward emergency operations of the Los Angeles County Fire Department.

The Board members have requested that I express their appreciation to you for this generous donation.

Very truly yours,

SACHI A. HAMAI EXECUTIVE OFFICER